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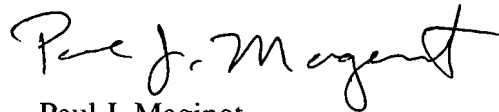
In connection with the Office Action dated August 1, 2007 in the above-entitled application, Applicants respectfully request a one (1) month extension in which to file a response, from November 1, 2007 to December 1, 2007. Since the due date fell on Saturday, December 1, 2007, the Petition for Extension of Time is being timely filed on Monday, December 3, 2007.

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Respectfully submitted,

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